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Subject: Hunters Point Naval Shipyard Greenaction FOIA Request
Attachments: 2018 APR 12 Navy Proposed Clarifications to Regulatory Option 2_.pdf; DftFinal Ship Berths FSSR_012418 bollard text.pdf; Informal dispute on Parcel D-1 Rad FSSR Ship Berths - 2-28-2018.pdf; EPA-R9-2018-006696 Response Letter - May 21, 2018.pdf

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Robert, June, John, and Chris -

You had asked us to keep you updated about developments relating to Hunters Point Naval Shipyard. As I explained last week, EPA received a FOIA request from the Environmental Justice and Law Clinic, Golden Gate University, representing the nonprofit group Greenaction. The group requested “all written reports, draft reports and/or any other written communications between the EPA and the US Navy concerning the radiological testing and remediation of potentially radioactive substances at the former Hunters Point Naval Shipyard (HPNS).” Last week we sent the first set of responsive documents. Attached is a second letter we just sent to accompany a second set of documents. I am also attaching a few examples of documents about two topics that may be of particular interest:

1. The Navy’s draft proposal to change cleanup goals
2. The Navy’s finding of a small amount of Polonium-210 on bollards at ship berths, which are secured to restrict public access. The Navy has already removed much of this material, and EPA is working with the Navy to resolve what remains. This material does not present a current public exposure concern.

You can access all of the documents released so far in response to this FOIA request at <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/view/request?objectId=090004d2818c58cd>. Please contact me at or Brent Maier 415-947-4256 (Brent is back on Tuesday) if you have questions about this or any other matter.

Thank you!

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